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CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This application claims the benefit of U.S. provisional application serial no. 60/432,800 filed December 12, 2002, which is incorporated herein by reference.

The present invention relates to the field of mobile video communications. More particularly, the invention relates to a method and system including a global avatar database for use with a mobile video communication network.